

STOCKS

Eastern buying sent Tonopah Merger to 45 cents today, an advance of 12 points over yesterday. All Tonopahs were strong, with more than the usual sales. Goldfield securities were sluggish.

The following are the closing stock quotations, and the record of the day's sales, as received from the San Francisco stock exchange this afternoon by Broker H. E. Epstein:

TONOPAH.		Bid.	Asked.
Tonopah Mining		7.00	
Montana		.29	.40
Tonopah Ex.		2.75	
MacNamara		.03	.04
Midway		.08	.09
Belmont		4.25	
West End		.55	.57
Jim Butler		.75	.77
North Star		.16	.17
Rescue		.06	.07
Mizpah Ex.		.27	.29
Gypsy Queen			.02
Tonopah Merger		.41	.42
Monarch Pittsburg		.02	.03
Halifax		.36	.40
Cash Boy		.03	.04
Umatilla			.02
Victor		.19	.20

GOLDFIELD.		Bid.	Asked.
Goldfield Con.		1.60	1.62 1/2
Jumbo Ex.		1.25	1.27 1/2
Combination Frac.		.07	.08
Booth		.30	.31
Blue Bull		.07	.08
Florence		.75	.76
Atlanta		.42	.43
Merger Mines		.35	.37
Lone Star		.09	.10
Great Bend		.07	.08
C. O. D.		.07	.08
Sandstorm-Kendall		.11	.12
Silver Pick		.08	.09
Kewanas		.27	.28
Oro		.12	.13
Black Butte		.03	.04
Daisy		.06	.07
Vernal		.04	.05
Spearhead		.13	.14
Yellow Tiger		.05	.06
Blue Bell		.05	.06
Grandma		.05	.06
Red Hills		.02	.03
Cracker Jack		.01	.02
Commonwealth		.03	.05
Conqueror		.01	.03
Columbia Mt.		.07	.08
Jumbo Ex. Jr.		.07	
Goldfield Shale		.15	

MANHATTAN.		Bid.	Asked.
Manhattan Con.		.03	.04
Big Four			.10

MISCELLANEOUS.		Bid.	Asked.
Pittsburg Silver Peak		.12	.13
Nevada Hills		.33	
Round Mountain		.34	.35

TONOPAH STOCKS.

Morning Sales.	
West End—500, 55.	
North Star—2000, 16.	
Rescue—Eula—1000, 7; 1000, 7.	
Mizpah Extension—1000, 28.	
Tonopah Merger—4500, 37; 3000, 37; 500, 38; 5000, 40; 500, 39; 500, 39; 500, 40; 1000, 41; 1000, 41; 2000, 42; 500, 42; 2000, 42; 3000, 44; 2000, 44; 2000, 45; 500, 45; 2000, 43; 1000, 43; 500, 42.	
Halifax—500, 35.	
Cash Boy—2000, 4.	
Afternoon Sales.	
Midway—2000, 8; 500, 7; 1000, 8.	
Belmont—400, \$4.35.	
Tonopah Merger—1000, 43; 1000, 42.	
Cash Boy—2000, 4; 500, 4.	
Victor—500, 20.	

GOLDFIELD STOCKS.

Morning Sales.	
Goldfield Consolidated—400, \$1.65; 300, \$1.60.	
Jumbo Extension—300, \$1.20; 100, \$1.22 1/2; 1000, \$1.25; 100, \$1.25; 500, \$1.22 1/2; 800, \$1.23 1/2; 100, \$1.25; 200, \$1.25.	
Booth—500, 30.	
Florence—500, 78; 600, 79; 500, 77.	
Merger Mines—1000, 36; 5000, 35; 2000, 35; 1000, 36; 3000, 36; 12,000, 37; 3000, 36; 1000, 36; 2000, 36.	
Atlanta—1000, 37; 1500, 37.	
Sandstorm-Kendall—2000, 12.	
Silver Pick—1000, 9.	
Kewanas—1000, 28; 3500, 28.	
Spearhead—1000, 14; 500, 14.	
Afternoon Sales.	
Jumbo Extension—1200, \$1.22 1/2; 1000, \$1.20; 400, \$1.20; 500, \$1.25.	
Booth—1000, 29; 1000, 30.	
Blue Bull—1000, 8.	
Merger Mines—1000, 34; 1000, 35; 3000, 35; 10,000, 35.	
Atlanta—1000, 37; 2000, 37; 1000, 38; 2000, 38; 500, 38; 30, 3000, 38; 3500, 39; 5000, 40; 3000, 40; 5000, 42; 2000, 42; 2500, 41; 2000, 42.	
Silver Pick—1000, 9.	

WHY VERDICT WAS FOR DEFENDANT

FULL TEXT OF JUDGE FARRINGTON'S DECISION RECEIVED IN TONOPAH

A copy of the decision rendered by Judge Farrington of the United States court for the district of Nevada in the case of the Sierra Land and Livestock company, plaintiff, vs. the Desert Power and Mill company, defendant, finding for the plaintiff, reached Tonopah today. Many points of law are defined, particularly relating to rights in conflict between the mining and agricultural industries. A brief summary of the opinion follows:

In the aforementioned action the plaintiff sought to recover for the death of 1,085 head of sheep poisoned by cyanide which had escaped from the defendant's milling and reduction works at Millers, Esmeralda county. The action occurred February 5, 1914. Judge Farrington declares that the mill is situated on a sidehill. Below the reservoirs, where slimes are emplaced, is a road that has been in use for many years, but no steps have been taken legally to make it a public highway. The sheep, which were driven to the road from the east, drank cyanide water from the ruts and died immediately. This spot was 800 feet from the reservoirs on unclosed land belonging to the defendant. The destination of the sheep was a point outside of Esmeralda county and they were being driven without a traveling permit.

The embankments were constructed of slimes and broke frequently. When breaks occurred, the slimes, more or less impregnated with cyanide, ran down the flat toward the road. No precautions appear to have been taken to prevent the wet slimes from going as far as their volume and the slope of the country would permit. A second line of embankments would, in the opinion of the court, have arrested the slimes. Failure to avoid a known or apprehended danger is regarded as contributory negligence. "In the present case defendant's negligence brought the cyanide into the road and plaintiff's negligence brought the sheep to the cyanide; plaintiff actually contributed to his own injury. There is nothing in the evidence indicative that plaintiff was misled or thrown off his guard by any acts or omissions on the part of the defendant."

WHEN MULE AND MULE MEET BIPEDS SCATTER

JURY FINDS THAT ANDY ROUSCH WAS VALOROUS THROUGH DISCRETION

If the case had been taken to the district court of the United States for the district of Nevada, the Lord knows what the finding might have been, in view of the fact that culpabilities and negligences are not clearly defined in the higher tribunals, but twelve good men and true made short shift of a mule case in Justice Donseath's court yesterday afternoon.

Sam Ginotti, it appears, was the owner of a span of mules. He put them in the keeping of Andy Rousch for their care and sustenance. There was nothing in the contract relative to duels between the long-eared mammals, which met face to face in the corral one day and after a few preliminary remarks, turned tail to and kicked the everlasting stuffing out of each other. The mule that was the worse damaged was taken away by the owner and died in his possession. Then he sued the defendant for \$200 damages, the alleged worth of the mule. The jury found that the defendant was wise not to intervene when the argument between the mules was in progress and found in his favor.

TEMPERATURE REPORT

Highest temperature yesterday, 31; a year ago, 23.
Lowest temperature last night, 30; a year ago, 17.

Kewanas—2000, 27; 1000, 26; 2000, 27; 3000, 28.
Oro—1000, 12.
Spearhead—2000, 14.
Yellow Tiger—2000, 5.
Grandma—1000, 6.
Red Hills—2000, 3.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Morning Sales.
Manhattan Con.—2000, 3; 4000, 3.
Afternoon Sales.
White Caps—3000, 8.
Pittsburg Silver Peak—2000, 8.
Round Mountain—500, 34.

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GIRLS LEAD BOYS IN HIGH SCHOOL WORK

MIDYEAR EXAMINATIONS SHOW SOME VERY CREDITABLE AVERAGES

This has been the week of mid-year examinations in the schools for all the grades above the third. It has been a time of hard work for all and of anxiety for some. The tests were postponed one week beyond the middle of the school year, which ended last week. The postponement was made to more nearly equalize the time in the two semesters, the Christmas vacation and the inevitable time lost at the opening in the fall having shortened the actual working time in the first semester.

In the high school, exemptions were allowed for all who maintained an average of 90 or better throughout the semester. There were enrolled at the time 56 pupils in the high school, 40 girls and 16 boys. There was a total of 32 exemptions earned, 31 by the girls and one by the boys. Judged upon the basis of exemptions from examinations the girls were far in the lead of the boys. The honor of leading the entire school in scholarship was earned by Freda Daoust of the senior class, who is getting through high school in three years. She took six studies and was exempted in four and maintained a high average in the other two. Those who stood first and second in the different classes were: Seniors, Freda Daoust, Laurel Hill; Juniors, Helen Mitchell, Fannie Holmes; sophomores, Leila Sloan, May Kimball; freshmen, Helen Mitchell, Jennie Clendenning.

The list of exemptions in the various examinations was:

Algebra 1—Helen Davis, Helen Clendenning. English 1—Jennie Clendenning, Helen Davis, Florence Murtton. English 2—May Kimball, Leila Sloan. English 3—Helen Mitchell. English 4—Freda Daoust, Laurel Hill, Isabelle Slavin, Erma Wardle. Economics—Erma Wardle. German 2—Isabelle Slavin, Laurel Hill, Freda Daoust. German 1—Addie Murphy, Helen Mitchell, Leila Sloan. Algebra 2—Freda Daoust, May Kimball, Leila Sloan. Latin 2—Fannie Holmes. Latin 3—Freda Daoust. Shorthand 2—Anna Lydon. Typewriting 1—Gertrude Rippingham, Laurel Hill, Leona Carey, William Cuddy. Typewriting 2—Anna Lydon. History 4—Helen Mitchell, Fannie Holmes.

NEVADA BUILDING TO BE DEDICATED

DATE SET FOR OPENING DAY OF THE PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION

Dedication of the Nevada building at the Panama-Pacific exposition is now being planned for the opening day of the exposition, February 20, and arrangements are being perfected along those lines. It is now virtually assured that in addition to the members of both branches of the legislature, Governor Boyle, many of the other state officials, the members of the active and honorary boards of directors, Commissioner Mills and representatives of the University of Nevada will be in attendance at that time. A special train will carry visitors from all parts of the state from Reno, leaving on the evening of February 19.

While it is realized that because of the events scheduled for opening day it will not be possible for the officials of the exposition to participate as fully in the exercises at the Nevada building as it is desired to have them, it is believed that because of the presence on that occasion of so many representative citizens of the state the dedicatory ceremonies should be held at that time.

The members of the Nevada society of California, made up of former residents of the state, have been asked to take part in the exercises.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

The wage earning women of Tonopah are in favor of eight hours' work for women the same as men; but believe the proposed legislation discriminates against them and in favor of men, therefore, that justice might be done, we believe the labor organizations should take them into consultation before taking action on legislation which so vitally affects them, and would suggest a meeting to discuss the subject. AdvJ29c1

ENTERTAINS AT CARDS

Mrs. Chris Vucanovich entertained a number of friends at cards last evening. What was played until midnight, when luncheon was served.

PERSONAL

H. HERZOG, of Wallace, Idaho, is a guest at the Mizpah.

WALTER TRENT went to Goldfield this morning.

SAM FORMAN came over from Goldfield on today's train.

W. H. BOND, a mining man of Beatty, is spending today in Tonopah.

A. T. MCKENZIE was an arrival this morning from Reno.

A. B. GRAY, United States marshal, is here from Carson City on an official errand.

JOE R. DUFFIELD, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Edna Whitmore, arrived from Reno this morning.

BOB RICHARDS, accompanied by his wife, returned from San Francisco this morning.

WILLIAM TRADERT, after being confined to his home for two weeks, is sufficiently recovered to be out.

ED WHEECE, the hardware and lumber merchant, leaves tomorrow for the coast, to recuperate his health.

W. L. GARVER, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Gould lines, is here from Reno on an official mission. He is the guest of H. H. Grier.

ELMER GOETZ has left the employ of the Epstein Brokerage company to accept a position with the Tonopah Banking corporation.

MRS. J. G. LEE was a passenger this morning for San Diego, where she was preceded by her husband, and where they will make their home.

HENRY LORENZ, of Spanish Springs, who is confined to his home on Florence avenue with an attack of typhoid pneumonia, was reported somewhat better this morning.

FRANK HORTON, a mining man, was a passenger this morning from Goldfield, en route to San Francisco.

A. H. PETT, general agent for the Tonopah and Goldfield railroad, is spending today in Tonopah.

JULIUS GARNER has resigned his position with the Tonopah Banking corporation to become bookkeeper for the National Realty and Investment company and the Tonopah Sewer company.

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NOTICE TO CO-OWNERS.

Tonopah, Nevada, January 5th, 1915.
To W. H. Cassebeer, \$4,450; Joe Blazona, 1-10, \$20; John Besch, 1-10, \$20; R. L. Tadden, 1-10, \$20, and all owners known or unknown: You are hereby notified to contribute your pro-ownership with you in the Onelda and Onelda No. 1 mining claims, situated in what is known as the Willow Creek mining district, Nye county, Nevada, have expended the sum of two hundred (\$200) dollars for the annual assessment work for the year 1914 on the above named mining claims.
Reference is hereby made to the location records of Nye county, Nevada, for the specific description of the aforesaid claims, located by your grantor and ourselves, under the provisions of Section 2324 of the Revised Statutes of the United States and the acts amendatory thereof. You are hereby notified that we, the undersigned portion of the said sum of two hundred (\$200) dollars, expended for the annual assessment work for the year 1914, to wit:

The sum of two hundred (\$200) dollars to your co-owner, James Sloan, at Tonopah, Nevada, within ninety days from the service on you of this notice, or one hundred and eighty days from the date of the first publication of this notice of your undivided interest in said Onelda and Onelda No. 1 mining claims will become the property of the co-owner who has made the expenditure required by law, and to which you have thus far failed to contribute.

This notice is prepared for and will be published in the Tonopah Bonanza, a newspaper of general circulation, for a period of ninety days from the date first above written.
J. C. HUPPERT.
JAMES SLOAN.
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AMUSEMENTS

BUTLER THEATER.

At the Butler this evening an interesting program will be shown, as follows: Hearst-Selig Weekly, showing interesting views from all over the world: "The Knight Before Xmas," a Vitagraph comedy drama, and "The Twilight Sleep," the second episode of "The Exploits of Elaine," with Arnold Daly as Craig Kennedy and Pearl White as Elaine Dodge. Elaine Dodge and her lawyer, Perry Bennett, are endeavoring to solve the death of Elaine's father, who was mysteriously slain by "The Clutching Hand." Craig Kennedy, the famous scientific detective, leaves the house, but promises Elaine that he will not give up the search. Tomorrow, "The Beloved Adventurer." Sunday, Alice Joyce in a two-reel Kalem feature, in which Miss Joyce wears \$1,000,000 worth of jewelry and a \$3,000 "Lacelle" gown.—Adv.

ED WHEECE sells Rock Springs and Hiawatha coal, lumber and building material. Phone 462.

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Congress will do well to pass the bill providing for retirement pensions for life-savers. The senate has already approved the measure, and there is much favorable sentiment in the house.—Buffalo Commercial.

Application No. 3227.
Notice of Application for Permission to Appropriation the Public Waters of the State of Nevada.

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of January, 1915, in accordance with Section 53, Chapter 140, of the Statutes of 1913, one Wise Brumby, of Carson City, County of Ormsby, and State of Nevada, made application to the State Engineer of Nevada for permission to appropriate the public waters of the State of Nevada. Such appropriation is to be made from an artesian well and springs, at the well and spring in the N. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 25, T. 20, S. R. 22 E. M. D. B. & M. by means of bored wells, dams, flumes and ditches, and four cubic feet per second is to be conveyed to E. 1/2 of S. 1/2, Sec. 15, and W. 1/2 of S. W. 1/4, Sec. 14, T. 20, S. R. 22 E. M. D. B. & M. by means of flumes and ditches, and there used for irrigation and domestic purposes. Water not to be returned to stream.
(Signed) W. M. KEARNEY,
State Engineer.

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